IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

TERRON BROWN,)	8:10CV236
Petitioner,)	
)	
v.)	MEMORANDUM
STATE OF NEBRASKA,)	AND ORDER
)	
)	
Respondent.)	

The petitioner, Terron Brown, filed a Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus under 28 U.S.C. § 2254 (filing no. 1), a Motion for Leave to Proceed in Forma Pauperis (filing no. 2), and a copy of his prisoner trust account statement (filing no. 9).

Habeas corpus cases attacking the legality of a person's confinement require the payment of a \$5.00 fee. 28 U.S.C. § 1914(a). The petitioner's trust account statement shows that he had an average monthly balance of \$100 or more in his account for the six-month period immediately preceding the filing of the petition. Therefore, I conclude that Terron Brown must be required to pay the \$5.00 filing fee because he has the financial ability to do so. See 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a). No further review of this case will take place until the fee is paid.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. the petitioner's application to proceed in forma pauperis (filing no. $\underline{2}$) is denied;
- 2. the Terron Brown is granted until August 20, 2010, to pay the \$5.00 filing fee. Terron Brown is warned that if the fee is not paid as required, the court may dismiss this case without further notice;

- 3. the clerk of the court is directed to set a pro se case management deadline in this case with the following text: August 20, 2010: deadline for payment of \$5.00 filing fee; and
 - 4. no further review of this case will take place until the filing fee is paid.

Dated July 20, 2010.

BY THE COURT

s/ Warren K. Urbom United States Senior District Judge